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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant** : Alan William Atkinson  
**Appl. No.** : 10/642,903  
**Filed** : August 18, 2003  
**Title** : GASKET COATING  
**Grp./A.U.** : 1714  
**Examiner** : Sandra K. Poulos  
**Docket No.** : 710130-025

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**AMENDMENT****MAIL STOP AMENDMENT****Commissioner of Patents**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated October 6, 2005, please amend this application as follows:

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